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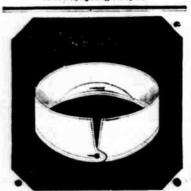
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# House Cleaning! HEALTH AND HAPPINESS.

CASPER'S Drug Store,

Miss Emilie Sawmenig, of Williss's college of shorthand, will take charge of the shorthand department of Wooster univer-physician, who has gained a reputation as one of the best practitioners in the city. "The

Mr. Robert Smith, of 326 west North Rev. Samuel A. Dunlay, Dr. Van Nor-

The cutting off of the per cent, system of

both contestants were considerably used up. When arrested Rice had a broken finger and a big hole in the top of his head.

The safety pine which prevents the water in the Arcade fountain from getting beyond a certain depth, became choked up last night and let the water overflow the basin fountain. This morning, when the janiter men of the Arcade building arrived, the place Twenty or thirty years ago it was different. was flooded, and the prominade was almost er Maker. Hatter and Furnisher, a sluice way of running water. The pipe was cleaned out this morning.

Andy Young, of Dayton, a bricklayer, fell off the Lagonda shops late this afternoon, and tore part of the top of his head

### LAWRENCEVILLE.

LAWRENCEVILLE, May 10. - The third of rank growth...Minnich's saw mill has been moved from here to pike township ...Alex Belt lost a valuable cow last week

by a broken leg ... Some mischievous fellows built a high rail fence across the pike near the church, Saturday night. Sunday W ANTED Newsboys Several good newsboys to sell and earry the Sunday Newson regular routes. A boy can make from \$1 to \$2 in three hours. Call at Sunday Newsoffice. but some one will have to furnish the cigars before long to keep the joke from getting out on the parties. Two colored men had out on the parties a suit before 'Squire Hartman and a jur the keep of a horse last week. Thomas McKee and wife are ill with scarlet | be.

food for the lion's whelps. and a revolver was taken from him, but later he escaped from jail, and nothing was seard from him till the other day, when the few women wear more than two underskirts for the return of that revolver.

## GAS AT LAST!

For some time past several of our monthe subject of gas, both for illuminating and heating purposes. This investigation between the subject of gas, both for illuminating and heating purposes. This investigation between the subject of gas, both for illuminating purposes. This investigation between the subject of gas, both for illuminating purposes. and heating purposes. This investigation has been conducted with the greatest care and secrecy, and now, as a result of pluck and enterprise, we have the pleasure of in-forming the public that the citizens of forming the public that the citizens of Springfield have at last secured that highly prized and much talked of article, illuminating gas, in most decidedly paying quan-

The prospect is certainly an encouraging cerned; hundreds of our citizens will unan-imously agree with us that from an outside point of view it must be a perfect bonanza. Their plant is located near Buck Creek, and is at present about a square this side of the Market street bridge, on the west side

successful in striking gas, yet we certainly \$22.50. Call and convince yourself at

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What a Lady Physician Says in Defeuse of the So Called Fashionable Foilies Make.

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Tough Sponges, Aqua Ammonia. Furniture Polish, Grate Varnish, Chamonis Skins and all other aids for house cleaning, for sale at the content of the common of the comm physician to a group of people who were talk-ing about dress reforms, the decided skirt and kindred topics the other day.

"Dress reform" exclaimed the trate little

truth of the matter is that most women dress | will tell. with as much regard to the laws of health as street, left this morning for Leadville, Col., do the men. The former have reformed, the after a seven weeks' visit with friends and latter are degenerating, or howelse do you as count for the pointed shoes, the stays, the high collars and the stove pipe hats that men wear!
If woman in general is not so healthy as man, man and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Nichols left it is not on account of her clothes, of that I

"Go to the opera, to any church or assem-The cutting off of the per cent, system of bly. What do you see! Men sailow and lean; grading in the high school will give every men baid headed and pasty looking, or men graduate a chance to orate, and the com- so stout and unwieldy, so red and uncomfortncement exercises will last all night un- able looking that it makes one uncomfortable less they are given to the public in sections, to look at them. But you see five women out which would be absurd.

This morning Soi Rice was station boused for disorderly conduct. Last night be had a bad fight with another man, in which dozen other reformers are constantly erving. dozen other reformers are constantly crying down as ruining the future race and their

> "Of course there are many articles of wearing apparel that could be improved," she continued, "but the corsets, the bustle and skirts, against which the reformers and men are constantly crying out, are real blessings if only used properly, and the majority of wo general cleaning up has taken place nowadays know how to wear them. Eighteen inch waists were considered neces sary for beauty, slippers were worn on all occasions, or shoes with pasteboard soles, and the enormous head dresses and bonnets were

omething atrocious." "How do the women of to-day dress better than their mothers and grandmothers queried a reporter present

"Well," said the little physician, "there is no reason why I should not be plain. In the first place, the old-fashioned chemise, with its first place, the old-fashioned chemise, with its multitude of gathers, has gone entirely out of fashion. Women who wear the garment at Christian church ordained two new deakons with the Franch fashion, with all have it made in the French fashion, with Sunday evening. LAWRENCEVILLE, May 10.—The third of J. A. Dredges children was buried here last week. ... The minings epidemic is not press the gathers and wrinkles about the nbination garments of flannel made all

ankles most comfortably.

"Oh, no, never!" she exclaimed. "Bustles

running are made easier. officer who made the arrest received a letter from the shooter, dated in Canada, asking mothers wore four and five, some of them of quilted flannel, too, so we have reformed in

that matter. hats worn by women?" said the gentleman who ran down the bustle. "They are trumpery little things of lace and ribbon, and no

'sensible hat that fits the head and keeps out the air' has done for you," exclaimed the stern the air has done for you, exclaimed the stern lecturer. The gentleman obeyed and saw a Ohio railroad will sell tickets at one full fare head quite bald.

"A bat or a bonnet should be an ornament,

not a protection. The hair is the natural cov-ering for the head. Women realize this and keep their hair. Men go about puffed up with the importance of their superiority in wearone—for the proprietors and as far as the paying qualities of the investment are con-

How to Ride Horseback. This is the advice of a well known riding master to the shrimps that for the first time attempt to bestride a horse. It is quite historic, it is said. "Sit well back in the saddle Now, while we personally have not been and ride with 'eart and 'ead up; 'ands and recessful in striking gas, yet we certainly 'eels down, me lad." When one feels oneself have struck the lead in \$5 Trowserings and in our nobby line of Scotch suitings for sible, but cling to the reins for dear life.— New York Graphic.

A set of teeth from \$8 up. Kowiand

NINETY-FIVE CENTS!

NEW CARLISLE NEW CARLISLE, May 10. - At the special

election held Saturday the proposition to is sue bonds for the purpose of boring for gas THE CORSET AND THE BUSTLE REAL earried by a large majority, and our official will at once go to work and make arrangements for the sale of \$5,000 worth of village bonds and contract for the sinking of the well without delay. Our people are enthu-siastic over the prospect of soon knowing of Her Sex - Mistakes Which Meu what the bowels of the earth contain in the vicinity of this place. If there is any relia-bility in the surface indications we feel as sured of success, as the surface evidence marked in this locality. The Vancheaf, of Cincinnati, spent backer club house on Fifth avenue and race. Sounday in this place, and delivered a ser-down to Delmonico's, which one would win?" mon on the subject of "The Christian Re-ligion and Its Relation to Free Masonry" at the Presbyterian church in the afternoon The audience was large and attentive.... A son of our fellow-citizen, Mr. Isane Fun Every one present gave up the community derburg, is near the point of death at Brook but they all agreed with the originator of it when she declared that the girl, not withstand the virtue of the health-giving establishing her veil, her close fitting gown, her bustle ment at that place, but he became worse and her muff, would win against the youth and at this writing no hopes are entertained with his hat likely to fly off at the first rush, of his recovery. Mr. Credalelaugh, a us comer choking him so that he could not see, his heavy came, his tight boots and his wide trousers flapping about his ankles.

Those who have any other idea should the could not be attending objection. Or, with the could not be a should the could not be attending objection. wide trousers flapping about his ankles.

William Gardner spent several days last by trial

by trial the welfare of a near relative of that place so he says; but his neighbors think the at-traction is of a different character, but time ... A few strangers have taken up

their abode at this place who have no visi-ble means of support; neither does it appear that they have any business to attend to: yet day after day they are seen upon our streets, silently pursuing the even tenor of their way. What their purpose is seems to be an enigma to our people.... Our street commissioner has ordered all this morning for Cleveland, to attend the feel certain. But I am of the opinion that publish to be removed from our streets the women of New York are twice as healthy which gives a neat and tidy appearance to or town. The numerous shade trees that line our sidewalks lend beauty to our vil lage. We think Jefferson and Main street are about as fine as any to be found ... Mis-Effic Quick has been elected organist for the M. E. Sabbath school, which by the way is flourishing under the supervision of

> happy....The ice cream parlors of Mrs. M. Garver on south Main street is a pleasant resort for our young people . Lawyer Rannells and Dr. Barrere each have fitted up nice pleasant offices in the bank building. Our land-

general cleaning up has taken place this week: A good hotel building is one of the needs of this place...Mr. Farr Smith, of this place, is furnishing our citi-zens with fresh fish and vegetables. The past week candidates for office have been as numerous as stray cats in the month of February. The love of office is one of the weaknessess of the American citizens. The creamery company are about ready to commence operations again ... Mrs. Rhoda Cross, son and daughter of Kansas, are

visiting friends here. H. N. Taylor is daily looking after his political fences

was children was buried here. The mumps epidemic is not waist and hips. But the majority of women the Minnich's saw mill has wear the little gauze, flannel, cashmere or the majority of women of the waist and hips. But the majority of women for anditor, was in town Monday, repairing political fences. He made a good impression of the waist which have come in of late years. all hampering it. For winter wear there are field, was the guest of Miss Elnora Britton ... Candidates for principal of the Enor somebody whispered about arrests to be in one piece, and clothing one from neck to school are besieging the board of educaankles most comfortably.

"No, I will not admit that the corset of dentials. As this seems to be the stepping itself is injurious," said the lady, most energetically. "Brandy is injurious if one takes or the crucial test of the abilities of a too much of it, but it is excellent in many teacher, we suppose ambitious young men Squire Hartman and a jury over f a horse last week. The proper kind and worn properly it is one of the braces a course from the chart class in the costs amounted to as much as the horse was worth to the owner. Our precinct assession expects to finish his work this week.

There is believed to the owner is believed to the believed to the owner in the high school are taught. worm to the owner. Our precinct assession expects to finish his work this week.

There is believed to be a big mouse in the postedice in this town. It is believed that the postedice in this town. It is believed that the form, and yet support and protect it the leader of one of the democratic factions caused the leader of the other faction to all the skirts may be fastened to them or to trigonometry. Unless a beacher's analysis MONEY TO LOAN.

Thomas McKee and wife are ill with scallet fever.

MONEY TO LOAN—In sums of \$500 to \$10,000
for one to five years, on first meritage or approved commercial paper. Theo. A. Wick, pives promise of picture-sque oratory. Said warring apparel, "said a gentleman who was his eloquent excellency at the recent anti-like his eloquent excellency at the recent

his eloquent excellency at the recent anticoercion meeting in Providence: "But we hear that the Irish are growing bellicose; that they are passionate and brutal. But list to their reply: Go to, Britain: thou hast made thy sister isle to be a lair of beasts, and will not the bated bull gore." And the teased tiger tear." And the hungry bear defend her cubs." We will admit that ten men to every one woman dies of some disease of the kidneys or liver. Yest Well, then, women must thank the much abused bustle for keeping them free of such trouble. How! The bustle of wire, of station school house, east of Enon, was quite a success and was well patrons the who hounds the lion betimes becomes food for the flon's whelms." which it is now made, worn under the skirts, close his school, No. 6, east of keeps the small of the back from becoming Enon, next Saturday. Mr. Wood will A few years ago, during the construction of the Bar Harbor branch of the Maine of the Bar Harbor branch of the Maine Central railroad, one of the bosses shot and killed an Italian iaborer. He was arrested to be the dress in such a fashion that waiking and the dress in such a fashion that wa the dress in such a fashion that waiking and diama, this summer, during his vacation.

The physician assured the reporter that Marshall and Hubbel, of Yellow Springs. Ohio, were here today (Monday), aspirants to the principalship of the Enonhigh school.

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going, passengers to be returned at one-third rate on certificate of J. W. Henley, secre-tary. For tickets and further information call on J. D. Phleger, agent, 72 Areade.

One of the curious features os flower gardening in Augusta, Me., on the 18th of April, was a bed of crocuses dug out from under the snow at a depth of more than fort and a half. The crocuses were found to have made a growth of some three inches up into the snow. And there it isa circular bed of crocuses all ready to bloom, with a wall of snow for rods about it, and nearly two feet high.

From the reserved seats taken up to noor today, the Orpheus benefit by the Till family. Thursday night, promises to be the largest of the season. It is to be hoped there will be no empty is ats when the curtain goes up. Box sheet now open at

THE SUNNY SOUTH.

etter From the Gate City of Alabama Everything Rooming and Blooming. DECATUR, Ala. May 6, 1887. The excitement in the gas and oil field of Ohio has for a time turned the gaze of the investor from this section. With the sober second thought will come renewed interest in the south, and it is believed that mmer and fall will be greater that eve before. As one visits the growing towns and cities of the south, and the country around them, he easily understand

this why this southern land should be as happy and prosperous as any other section of the Tnited States. Nature has done everything for it, and only man energy and industry is needed to make bloom and blossom The agricultural lands in this part of the state are excellent. All the cereals, wheat,

corn, rye, barley, as well as clover an blue grass, grow as well as in Kentucky of anywhere else. Cotton and tobacco als flourish, and in some sections are staple

from \$10 to \$25 per acre. It is the desire of the people that the large plantations of from 500 to 1,000 acres be cut to 1,000 acres be into Small farms. North. There is no doubt that this is the best place in the United States for the small He can raise here anything t can in the North, and many things in the shape of fruits and vegetables that he can not raise there. He has also the finest clinate in the world, there being few days when it is either too hot or too cold to work comfortably out of doors. Stock is easily wintered, and there is no place where there s so good a home market for good cattle

deep, horses and hogs.

Again, the banks of the Tennessee ar ed with virgin forests of the finest time ber trees in the world. These lands can be bought for from \$3 to \$10 per acre, and the timber on them is worth a good deal more than the cost of the land. The mineral lands also offer enticing prospect for investment. New fields of iron ore and for investment. coal are being daily discovered and opened up to investors.

Near this town of Decatur, it is believed

by experts that natural gas will be found for it. Should gas be found in quantites for use, it will complete the catalogue of the natural resources of this section. Then there will be no place in the world where prosperity will be found. Think wealth of timber, mineral, good soil, delightful climate, tine facilities for transpor tation—all waiting for enterprising men to take and use them

A word in regard to Decator, from which my letter is dated. This is an old town lo cated on the Tennessee river at the crossing Memphis and Charleston roads. It has exceilent means for transportation, which will soon be better, as new roads to Rome, Georgia, Selma, Alabama, and Aberdeen. Mrs. Rhoda Mississippi, will be built within a year. Be Kansas, are low the city, at a distance of twelve miles. are the muscle shoals which have long im peded navigation in the Tennessee river. The government has expended over five uillions of dollars removing these obstacles and the engineer in charge promises free and unimpeded navigation before Octo ber of this year. Then Decamir can send her products to the north, south, nift right here, and would have been if the

> estigated and known. It looks now that e only rival of Birmingham will be the ity built up at Decatur. Paper towns are springing up every where and are harvest fields for real estatagents. The men who are interested in milding up Decatur have taken a differen ourse from those engaged in booming other towns. They are working to combine here towns. They are working to common actual the elements of a material prosperity. Their plan has been to bring here as many manufactories as possible, and also as many men of small possible, and also as many men who were well as the second processors. seans, mechanics and business men who will locate, build houses and factories and

great advantages of location had been in

identify themselves with the city and its best interests. Early in the year a land and improve ment company was organized, to develop Decator. The president of the company is Gordon, of Georgia. The general manager Judge H. C. Bond, who has been a prop nent promoter of many great enterprises, east and west. The secretary is the genia Dr. W. E. Forest, for many years a promi ent physician of Washington square, Nev York. These gentlemen form a combine tion of talent, energy and honesty rarel found in new towns anywhere in the land All who have dealing with them are lone in praise of their manners and methods. Among the manufatories in process of erection may be mentioned the Chemical Charcoal plant erected by Dr. Pierce of New Wark. Fifty immense ovens have already been built and other machinery is on the ground. There is nothing like this establishment in the U. S. Out of the wood so abundant here will be made charcoal wood alcohol and acetate of lime. All the articles worth \$10 to \$12. When the work get into full operation they will be wel

worth a visit by all interested in econonanufactures. Among the other manufactories already ocated here are charcoal iron furnaces coke iron blast furnaces, bridge works brick manufactories, planing mills, cotton compress company, machine shops, and several other enterprises important and secessary to the building up of a great city. The monthly pay roll of all these wil amount to \$165,000.

This will give some idea for the oppor mities for all minor kinds of busine hows this to be the place for the poor man as well as the rich capitalist, and those who are here first will have the opportunity of their lives.

Of course there are some disadvantage but these will soon disappear. Hotel ac-commodations are deficient. It is hard to find houses to rent, and one misses for a time the comforts of the old towns and cities of the north. But these have more than compensation in the advantages offered for making money and getting a pleasant ome and a good business.

The people here welcome everybody who comes to work and identify himself with the interests of the city or country. Nothing is heard of politics, the war, partisanship and sectional jealousies. These are all things of the past, and the newcomer i as he would be in any town or city of the north or west. It is surprising to see the the old soldiers who meet here. Nothing but good feelings and kind treatment is heard of. One might live here for months and never bear the late war mentioned. If regard to the climate only good can be aid. No day here for weeks has been as hot as it has already been in Ohio this spring. There has not been a night this year when a man did not need a blanket

There are many northerners here wit their families, and the society is better than s usually found in new places. A church sestival has been running for two nights, and is the only dissipation of which we

have neard.

Green peas, strawberries and flowers are plentiful. But lest I trespass on your space, I will conclude by recommending your readers to come and see all of which I have

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Kelly Areade. Professor Swithin Chandler Shortlidge, of Media, Pa., last week gave a dinner to repformed an "Association of the Descendant of George and Jane Chandler." The present branches of the family include the names Cope, Darlington, Barvey, Hollings worth, Parrish, Pugh and Shortlidge,

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In a recent speech to the working classes New York City, Henry George said h did not believe as yet a law could be passed that would be satisfactory in regulating the umber of hours per day that a man should work. He believed that many reform might be effected without the aid of state tory laws. To this end he advised laborer ties. "Knowledge is power.

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